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POPULATION								
Total population <i>million; as of 1 July</i>	16.32	18.11	20.34	22.36	22.90	23.21	23.67	24.20
Population density <i>persons per square kilometer</i>	111	123	138	152	156	158	161	164
Population <i>annual change, %</i>	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.4	1.4	2.0	2.2
Urban population <i>% of total population</i>	7.1	8.3	...	...	...	...	...	...
LABOR FORCE <i>million; fiscal year ending 15 July^a</i>								
Employed	...	...	...	9.64	...	...	...	...
Agriculture	...	...	...	7.20	...	...	...	...
Manufacturing	...	...	...	0.55	...	...	...	...
Mining	...	...	...	0.01	...	...	...	...
Others	...	...	...	1.70	...	...	...	...
Unemployed	...	...	...	0.18	...	...	...	...
Unemployment rate, %	...	...	...	1.8	...	...	...	...
Labor force <i>annual change, %</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Labor force participation rate, %	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Male	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NATIONAL ACCOUNTS <i>Mn Rupees; fiscal year ending 15 July</i>								
At Current Factor Cost								
GDP by industrial origin ^b	44440	99702	209974	330018	366251	393566	405575	434294
Agriculture	22761	50470	85569	132373	145131	151059	160144	170073
Mining	193	449	1117	1685	1815	1924	2056	2188
Manufacturing	2511	5956	19555	30337	33550	35495	32805	34337
Electricity, gas, and water	184	523	2862	4632	5942	7004	8206	9345
Construction	3761	8943	23093	33262	37382	39584	42290	45014
Trade	4561	10507	24326	39313	42895	44572	40772	44046
Transport and communications	2679	5724	13995	24631	29336	33297	34652	38030
Finance	3987	9269	20533	33203	36919	41634	43882	47553
Public administration ^c }	3803	7861	18924	30582	33281	38997	40768	43708
Others								
Less: Imputed bank service charge	425	1954	5060	9438	10708	11912	12624	13760
Indirect taxes less subsidies	2571	5668	14261	21456	23945	29135	29293	33164
GDP at current market prices ^d	46586	103416	219175	342036	379488	410789	422244	453698
Net factor income from abroad	661	1934	4817	10881	13125	16172	22732	22744
GNP at current market prices	47247	105350	223992	352917	392613	426961	444976	476442
Structure of Output % of GDP at current prices								
Agriculture	51.2	50.6	40.8	40.1	39.6	38.4	39.5	39.2
Industry	15.0	15.9	22.2	21.2	21.5	21.3	21.0	20.9
Services	33.8	33.5	37.0	38.7	38.9	40.3	39.5	39.9
At Current Market Prices								
Expenditure on GDP ^d	46586	103416	219175	342036	379488	410789	422244	453698
Private consumption	35977	86314	166443	264944	287947	309107	329199	355535
Government consumption	4371	8959	20267	30529	33964	40150	42327	46653
Gross fixed capital formation	9386	17002	48370	65269	73324	78031	81613	86963
Increase in stocks	798	2074	6861	4792	18948	20784	26614	33563
Exports of goods and services	5372	10887	53084	78150	88360	91821	70453	75764
Less: Imports of goods and services	9317	21820	75850	101648	123055	129104	127961	146426
Statistical discrepancy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	1646
Structure of Demand % of GDP at current prices								
Private consumption	77.2	83.5	75.9	77.5	75.9	75.2	78.0	78.4
Government consumption	9.4	8.7	9.2	8.9	8.9	9.8	10.0	10.3
Gross domestic capital formation	21.9	18.4	25.2	20.5	24.3	24.1	25.6	26.6
Exports of goods and services	11.5	10.5	24.2	22.8	23.3	22.4	16.7	16.7
Imports of goods and services	20.0	21.1	34.6	29.7	32.4	31.4	30.3	32.3
At Constant 1994/95 Factor Cost								
GDP by industrial origin	129367	163893	209975	251757	267096	279739	278030	286073
Agriculture	64940	79512	85569	96151	100856	106380	108752	111341
Mining	655	846	1117	1416	1480	1547	1571	1601
Manufacturing	8142	10350	19555	24856	26646	27649	24907	25384

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Electricity, gas, and water	989	1845	2862	3520	4025	4402	4643	5208
Construction	12542	16957	23093	28786	31550	31823	32134	32724
Trade	13606	16824	24326	29069	31036	31507	28107	29389
Transport and communications	6800	8759	13995	18355	19644	20860	21220	21979
Finance	11775	15198	20534	25719	27026	27491	28157	29206
Public administration ^c }	9918	13602	18924	23885	24833	28080	28539	29241
Others								
Less: Imputed bank service charges	1182	3060	5060	6610	7230	7831	7839	8394
Indirect taxes less subsidies	7147	8874	14261	16240	17508	18631	18523	21845
GDP at 1994/95 market prices	135332	169707	219176	261387	277374	290539	288714	299524
Growth of Output annual change, %								
GDP	...	4.5	3.3	4.5	6.1	4.7	-0.6	3.7
Agriculture	...	5.8	-0.9	2.8	4.9	5.5	2.2	2.4
Industry	...	2.5	4.6	6.0	8.7	2.7	-3.3	2.6
Services	...	4.4	5.9	5.4	5.7	5.3	-1.8	3.6
Investment Financing at current prices								
Gross domestic capital formation	10184	19076	55231	70061	92272	98815	108227	120526
Gross national saving	6899	10077	37282	57444	74041	81784	77151	74254
Gross domestic saving	6238	8143	32465	46563	57577	61532	50718	51510
Net factor income from abroad	661	1934	4817	10881	13125	16172	22732	22744
Foreign saving	3285	8999	17949	12617	18231	17031	31076	...
Net transfer from abroad	103	172	819	1204	1319	1114	1701	...
Net borrowing from abroad	3182	8827	17130	11413	16912	15917	29375	...
Savings and Investment % of GDP at current prices								
Gross domestic saving	13.4	7.9	14.8	13.6	15.2	15.0	12.0	11.4
Gross national saving	14.8	9.7	17.0	16.8	19.5	19.9	18.3	16.4
Gross domestic capital formation	21.9	18.4	25.2	20.5	24.3	24.1	25.6	26.6
At Current Market Prices, Rupees								
Per capita GDP	2855	5710	10776	15297	16572	17699	17839	18748
Per capita GNP	2895	5817	11012	15783	17145	18396	18799	19688
PRODUCTION thousand metric tons; fiscal year ending 15 July								
Agriculture, crop year								
1. Rice, paddy	2837	3409	2928	3710	4030	4216	4164	4121
2. Sugarcane	425	997	1500	1972	2103	2212	2247	2343
3. Maize	1024	1201	1273	1346	1445	1484	1510	1569
4. Wheat	625	855	914	1086	1184	1158	1258	1344
5. Potatoes	504	677	840	1091	1183	1314	1472	1531
6. Millet	179	230	268	291	295	283	282	283
7. Barley	25	27	30	32	31	30	30	32
8. Jute	33	16	11	15	15	16	16	16
Manufacturing								
1. Cement	31.5	101.2	326.8	120.8	248.0	222.0	233.0	255.0
2. Iron goods	15.3	36.3	95.1	106.6	144.9	143.0	140.0	155.0
3. Sugar	11.0	31.9	49.2	75.5	77.2	78.0	82.0	94.0
4. Soap	7.7	11.9	23.5	47.7	73.7	52.0	55.0	55.0
5. Jute goods	20.0	7.5	20.2	49.3	49.7	34.0	31.0	35.0
6. Tea	1.0	1.4	2.4	2.3	3.6	8.0	8.7	1.0
7. Strawboard	0.9	0.5	0.8	0.8	1.2	1.0	1.1	...
8. Fertilizer, compound	42.8	67.3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Production Indexes period averages								
Agriculture, 1989-91 = 100	79.9	101.9	112.8	127.3	132.0	136.1	138.3	139.4
Manufacturing, 1974/75 I 1986/87 I								
1996/97 = 100	204.0 I	101.0	164.0 I	108.9	116.0	120.1	112.1	114.8
ENERGY annual values								
Coal, '000 m.t.								
Imports	80	13	123
Consumption	80	13	129

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Electricity, Mn kWh								
Production	384	713	1004	1346	1443	1652	2087	2261
Exports	11	23	40	64	95	180	142	186
Imports	38	61	114	232	174	120	237	149
Consumption	287	525	799	1049	1174	1356	1574	1708
Retail prices, US\$/litre								
Gasoline, premium	0.58	0.65	0.52	0.59	0.58	0.60	0.66	...
Diesel	0.40	0.31	0.21	0.23	0.33	0.35	0.35	...
PRICE INDEXES <i>period averages</i>								
Consumer (Urban), 1983/84 = 1995/96 = 100	104.1	179.9	305.4	130.4	134.9	138.1	142.1	148.9
Food	101.3	181.9	310.7	135.5	136.1	133.0	137.9	144.0
Non-food	109.9	177.2	297.0	124.6	133.4	144.2	147.2	154.6
Implicit GDP deflator, 1994/95 = 100	34.4	60.9	100.0	130.9	136.8	141.4	146.2	151.8
Price Indexes <i>annual change, %</i>								
Consumer price index	4.1	11.5	7.6	11.4	3.5	2.4	2.9	4.8
Food price index	1.3	9.6	7.3	16.2	0.4	-2.3	3.7	4.4
Implicit GDP deflator	9.9	10.9	6.5	8.8	4.6	3.3	3.4	3.8
MONEY AND BANKING <i>Mn Rupees; as of end of period</i>								
Money supply (M1)	5480.0	14223.0	32985.4	51062.4	60979.8	70576.9	77156.2	83754.1
Currency in circulation	3737.3	9718.2	22493.9	34984.3	42143.0	48295.1	55658.3	56885.2
Demand deposits	1742.7	4504.8	10491.5	16078.1	18836.8	22281.8	21497.9	26868.9
Quasi-money	6816.6	17329.4	47999.3	101737.7	125141.1	143877.2	146832.1	162157.2
Money supply (M2)	12296.6	31552.4	80984.7	152800.2	186120.9	214454.1	223988.3	245911.3
Foreign assets (net)	1897.6	9338.9	37085.5	65027.6	80467.5	87798.0	88419.1	91407.0
Domestic credit	12550.9	29661.6	73254.7	135349.7	158533.5	187871.4	207323.0	228443.8
Claims on government sector (net)	6492.1	13940.2	25191.2	35435.2	38775.0	49191.1	59576.6	62825.0
Claims on private sector	4036.6	12893.2	43013.1	90800.5	109447.6	126757.9	133315.3	150956.9
Claims on other financial institutions ^e	2022.2	2828.2	5050.4	9114.0	10310.9	11922.4	14431.1	14661.9
Other items ^f	-2151.9	-7448.1	-29355.5	-47577.1	-52880.1	-61215.3	-71753.8	-73939.5
Money supply (M2) <i>annual change, %</i>	17.6	18.6	16.1	20.8	21.8	15.2	4.4	9.8
M2 % of GDP	26.4	30.5	36.9	44.7	49.0	52.2	53.0	54.2
Deposit Money Banks								
Demand deposits	1667.9	4293.7	12014.4	17777.6	20307.6	24629.2	23749.2	28299.4
Savings deposits	1776.3	5218.2	22765.9	50140.8	65703.6	80987.8	83855.6	97236.4
Time deposits	4693.7	11761.5	24811.8	56960.3	66596.2	73488.8	74373.7	75348.4
Domestic credits outstanding ^g	7507.2	18917.1	56182.5	111968.8	136184.8	160919.4	173319.2	201822.5
Interest Rates ^h <i>percent p.a.; period averages</i>								
On deposits								
Savings	8.50	9.00	7.00	5.75	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.50
Time: 6 months	9.50	9.50	6.00	6.00	5.00	3.50	2.50	2.50
12 months	12.50	11.50	8.00	7.25	6.00	4.50	3.50	3.00
GOVERNMENT FINANCE <i>Mn Rupees; fiscal year ending 15 July</i>								
Central Government								
Total revenue and grants	4840.0	11262.9	28512.3	41587.6	48605.5	55647.0	57131.6	63622.3
Total revenue	3916.6	9287.5	24575.2	37251.0	42893.8	48893.6	50445.5	55250.0
Current revenue	3916.6	9287.5	24575.2	37251.0	42893.8	48893.6	50445.5	55250.0
Taxes	3151.2	7283.9	19660.0	28752.9	33152.2	38865.0	39330.6	42616.9
Non-taxes	765.4	2003.6	4915.2	8498.1	9741.6	10028.6	11114.9	12633.1
Capital receipts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grants	923.4	1975.4	3937.1	4336.6	5711.7	6753.4	6686.1	8372.3
Total expenditure and net lending	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total expenditure	8394.8	19669.3	39060.0	59579.0	66272.5	79835.1	80072.3	84572.3
Current expenditure ⁱ	2906.1	6671.8	19265.1	31047.7	34523.3	42769.2	48590.1	56556.4
Capital expenditure	5488.7	12997.5	19794.9	28531.3	31749.2	37065.9	31482.2	28015.9
Net lending	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Current surplus/deficit	1010.5	2615.7	5310.1	6203.3	8370.5	6124.4	1855.4	-1306.4
Capital account surplus/deficit	-5488.7	-12997.5	-19794.9	-28531.3	-31749.2	-37065.9	-31482.2	-28015.9

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Non-budgetary surplus/deficit
Overall budgetary surplus/deficit ^j	-3554.8	-8406.4	-10547.7	-17991.4	-17667.0	-24188.1	-22940.7	-20950.0
Financing								
Domestic borrowing	1799.9	2150.0	1900.0	4710.0	5500.0	7000.0	8000.0	12000.0
Foreign borrowing ^k	1754.9	5959.6	7312.3	11852.4	11812.2	12044.0	7698.7	8950.0
Use of cash balances	-	296.8	1335.4	1429.0	354.8	5144.1	7242.0	-
Government Finance % of GDP								
Total revenue	8.4	9.0	11.2	10.9	11.3	11.9	11.9	12.2
Total expenditure	18.0	19.0	17.8	17.4	17.5	19.4	19.0	18.6
Overall budgetary surplus/deficit	-7.6	-8.1	-4.8	-5.3	-4.7	-5.9	-5.4	-4.6
Expenditure by Function, Central Government								
Total ^l	8220.1	18867.6	36406.8	54936.0	61059.8	74144.5	75965.6	...
General public services	686.5	1504.4	3234.4	5309.7	5936.6	8398.8	10691.8	...
Defence	507.9	1027.2	2001.3	2994.8	3482.1	3813.4	5741.4	...
Education	805.6	1799.5	5080.3	7645.4	9291.0	11010.0	12746.3	...
Health	394.2	690.4	1495.5	2814.6	3451.4	3519.7	4364.4	...
Social security and welfare ^m	152.1	1261.5	1139.5	3132.9	3326.6	3538.0	5019.9	...
Housing and community amenities ⁿ	619.2	1082.6	3540.8	5595.9	6590.5	7070.2	6038.5	...
Economic services	3816.4	8624.4	14225.9	19776.2	21059.6	23659.9	22555.2	...
Agriculture	1751.4	3124.6	6418.0	6812.6	7176.7	8467.8	8370.7	...
Industry	352.2	1065.1	455.0	514.7	1057.0	540.8	776.5	...
Electricity, gas, and water	513.2	2087.6	1764.9	4821.7	5547.4	6821.8	6425.9	...
Transport and communications	1149.5	2031.4	5063.6	6571.2	5811.5	6537.2	5766.6	...
Other economic services	50.1	315.7	524.4	1056.0	1467.0	1292.3	1215.5	...
Others ^o	1238.2	2877.6	5689.1	7666.5	7922.0	13134.5	8808.1	...
EXTERNAL TRADE Mn Rupees; fiscal year ending 15 July								
Exports, fob	2741	5156	17639	35676	49823	55654	46945	49931
Imports, cif	7742	18325	63679	87525	108505	115687	107389	124352
Trade balance	-5002	-13169	-46040	-51849	-58682	-60033	-60444	-74422
External Trade annual change, %								
Exports	60.9	20.0	-8.6	29.7	39.7	11.7	-15.6	6.4
Imports	18.9	12.7	23.5	-1.7	24.0	6.6	-7.2	15.8
Trade balance	-4.0	-10.1	-42.6	15.7	-13.2	-2.3	-0.7	-23.1
Exports, by SITC section								
Food and live animals	992	616	1563	3724	4240	4777	5094	3101
Beverage and tobacco	5	4	11	50	117	76	146	139
Crude materials excluding fuels	487	239	486	470	561	751	625	800
Mineral fuels etc.	1	-	-	1	2	1	2	6
Animal, vegetable oil, and fats	57	20	214	3597	3230	4104	7421	4279
Chemicals	1	11	302	2804	3933	4042	3308	3279
Basic manufactures	649	2693	9260	13540	15839	18909	17395	17795
Machines, transport equipment	34	0	37	98	391	344	365	208
Miscellaneous manufactured goods	513	1573	5766	11393	21509	22651	12589	17282
Unclassified goods	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	43
Exports, by principal commodity								
1. Carpets	249	2319	7718	9802	9842	8592	6213	5320
2. Garments	471	1399	5139	9702	13942	13125	7833	11890
3. Pulses	109	212	457	1197	1057	1215	1222	1095
4. Jute goods	260	5	231	872	1104	1294	1630	1899
5. Raw jute and jute cuttings	44	118	86	0	0	115	8	0
Imports, by SITC section								
Food and live animals	783	1608	4464	7619	10839	5994	7054	9371
Beverage and tobacco	79	227	501	846	907	906	848	792
Crude materials excluding fuels	425	1571	3348	6247	7012	7560	6891	8479
Mineral fuels etc.	919	1516	4717	8737	9098	11269	15231	19944
Animal, vegetable oil, and fats	123	476	2056	3329	4446	5589	7888	7751
Chemicals	908	2824	7193	12476	14474	12942	12505	14320
Basic manufactures	2377	5065	25301	25638	34420	41188	32619	34888

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Machines, transport equipment	1671	3790	13027	18064	20548	23028	18835	20702
Miscellaneous manufactured goods	451	1248	3057	4302	6683	7210	4799	6583
Unclassified goods	7	1	15	266	78	1	62	1523
Direction of Trade Mn US dollars; calendar year								
Exports, total	134.8	211.3	323.5	575.6	676.4	613.7	542.9	617.5
1. India	45.9	14.8	25.0	161.5	216.8	239.3	259.8	296.2
2. United States	47.6	49.6	98.7	174.7	220.2	198.2	150.6	169.2
3. Germany	14.3	76.6	134.9	92.4	87.3	65.4	40.7	44.6
4. United Kingdom	10.9	12.2	6.6	16.3	16.2	12.9	12.1	15.2
5. Japan	0.9	1.7	1.6	4.7	25.7	10.3	5.7	6.9
6. France	1.7	5.5	7.0	11.7	14.2	7.8	6.4	7.9
7. Argentina	0.0	0.0	0.0	37.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
8. Italy	0.0	3.3	6.6	4.5	8.4	8.3	8.4	7.5
9. Canada	0.7	1.2	3.6	4.4	7.1	10.4	5.6	6.7
10. Switzerland	1.6	12.7	11.0	6.6	11.6	5.1	3.3	3.9
Imports, total	295.2	586.6	767.4	1199.6	1060.2	907.9	873.5	954.9
1. India	89.9	58.5	117.8	158.4	157.7	173.5	188.3	214.8
2. China, People's Republic of	19.1	43.1	58.7	227.7	218.8	163.5	115.6	134.2
3. United Arab Emirates	0.0	0.0	0.0	69.2	85.9	92.6	98.5	110.0
4. Singapore	12.8	86.4	93.2	95.5	108.4	81.6	75.8	71.0
5. Hong Kong, China	5.4	25.9	81.8	96.1	107.6	57.8	40.4	26.2
6. Saudi Arabia	0.0	0.0	2.7	30.4	37.8	40.8	43.3	48.4
7. Argentina	0.0	0.0	0.0	196.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
8. Kuwait	...	...	...	25.7	31.9	34.4	36.6	40.8
9. Thailand	3.9	39.8	142.1	17.2	31.9	33.0	24.1	30.6
10. Germany	13.9	22.6	28.1	17.4	19.4	23.3	33.2	29.5
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS Mn US dollars; calendar year | fiscal year ending 15 July								
Merchandise exports, fob	161.3	217.9	354.0	525.3	721.7	754.1	610.9	642.1
Merchandise imports, fob	-444.0	-666.6	-1276.3	-1290.6	-1572.7	-1568.4	-1398.7	-1601.0
Trade balance	-282.8	-448.7	-922.3	-765.3	-851.0	-814.3	-787.8	-958.9
Other goods, services, and income	42.4	50.9	471.9	444.5	382.9	301.3	120.4	122.6
Credit	162.1	229.5	750.5	676.5	623.8	563.7	374.8	388.5
Debit	-119.6	-178.6	-278.6	-232.0	-240.9	-262.4	-254.4	-265.9
Unrequited transfers ^p	118.7	108.6	214.4	324.3	338.3	364.7	397.0	502.4
Private	...	...	91.0	135.1	155.8	196.0	246.9	299.1
Official	...	...	123.4	189.2	182.5	168.7	150.1	203.3
Current balance	-121.6	-289.2	-236.0	3.5	-129.8	-148.3	-270.4	-333.9
Direct investment	...	...	-	8.5	3.4	-0.4	-3.7	12.4
Portfolio investment	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other long-term capital	25.8	304.5	176.3	104.8	122.9	94.5	38.5	-5.6
Other short-term capital	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Net errors and omissions	2.3	4.9	53.4	28.0	212.7	124.9	192.1	383.2
Overall balance	-93.5	20.2	-6.3	144.8	209.2	70.7	-43.5	56.1
Allocation of SDRs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Monetary movements ^q	93.5	-20.2	6.3	-144.8	-209.2	-70.7	43.5	-56.1
Balance of Payments % of GDP								
Exports	6.3	6.2	8.4	10.5	13.5	13.8	11.3	10.8
Imports	-17.4	-18.9	-30.2	-25.7	-29.5	-28.6	-25.8	-26.9
Trade balance	-11.1	-12.7	-21.8	-15.3	-15.9	-14.9	-14.5	-16.1
Current account balance	-4.8	-8.2	-5.6	0.1	-2.4	-2.7	-5.0	-5.6
Overall balance	-3.7	0.6	-0.1	2.9	3.9	1.3	-0.8	0.9
INTERNATIONAL RESERVES Mn US dollars; as of end of period								
Total	62.4	301.8	592.9	851.5	951.9	1044.2	1024.1	1228.9
Gold, national valuation	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Foreign exchange	49.7	287.0	577.9	836.9	937.9	1030.4	1009.8	1213.1
Reserve position in the Fund	6.3	8.1	8.5	7.9	7.5	7.2	7.8	8.6
SDRs	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.8

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Item	1985	1990	1995	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
EXCHANGE RATES Rupees per US dollar								
End of period	20.700	30.400	56.000	68.725	74.300	76.475	78.300	74.040
Average of period	18.246	29.369	51.890	68.239	71.094	74.949	77.877	76.141
EXTERNAL INDEBTEDNESS Mn US dollars; as of end of year								
Total debt outstanding and disbursed	589.9	1640.0	2417.6	2970.1	2821.9	2692.6	2952.6	...
Long-term debt	545.1	1571.8	2346.5	2909.9	2783.1	2635.0	2912.8	...
Public and publicly guaranteed	545.1	1571.8	2346.5	2909.9	2783.1	2635.0	2912.8	...
Private non-guaranteed	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...
Short-term debt	23.0	24.3	22.9	42.5	26.4	49.9	36.0	...
Use of IMF credit	21.8	43.9	48.2	17.7	12.4	7.7	3.8	...
External debt as % of GNI	22.5	45.1	54.9	58.9	51.2	48.2	53.3	...
Total long-term debt as % of total debt	92.4	95.8	97.1	98.0	98.6	97.9	98.7	...
Short-term debt as % of total debt	3.9	1.5	1.0	1.4	0.9	1.9	1.2	...
Debt service as % of exports of goods and services	7.1	15.7	7.5	7.6	6.8	6.6	9.2	...
Debt service Mn US dollars; transactions during the year								
Principal repayments on long-term debt	5.9	28.9	44.9	69.0	66.2	58.7	66.3	71.1
Interest on long-term debt	7.5	25.3	29.4	29.8	26.8	25.0	26.4	30.4
Interest on short-term debt	1.7	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.3	1.4	0.8	...
Average terms of new commitments								
Interest (% p.a.)	1.6	0.9	3.7	0.7	1.4	1.3	1.0	...
Maturity (years)	42.2	39.2	36.1	39.5	31.4	31.0	36.0	...
Grace period (years)	8.8	10.3	9.2	10.3	8.1	8.3	9.2	...
Grant element (%)	73.1	78.8	51.0	80.7	69.5	69.9	75.4	...

Footnotes:

Some footnotes apply only to the 18-year time series available on-line.

- a Based on population aged 15 years old and over.
- b Total GDP by factor cost is net of imputed value of banking services.
- c Refers to community and social services.
- d Refers to GDP at producers prices.
- e Refers to claims on financial and non-financial government enterprises.
- f Refers to net capital and other items.
- g Refers to loans and advances.
- h Refers to minimum interest rates.
- i Refers to regular expenditure.
- j Figures exclude non-budgetary surplus/deficit, hence the item refers to overall budgetary surplus/deficit. Data for grants and net lending are not available.
- k Refers to gross foreign borrowing.
- l Refers to regular expenditure, excluding repayment of loan principal.
- m Includes pension, allowances, and gratuity.
- n Refers to expenditure for drinking water and local development.
- o Refers to miscellaneous expenditures less pension, allowances, and gratuity, plus loans and advances and payment of loan interest.
- p Refers to net current transfers up to 1993.
- q Refers to change in reserves and related items.